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TAGS: CASC CARRFZD
SUBJ: LEGAL REPRESENTATION AVAILABLE TO AMERICANS
ARRESTED ABROAD

REF: STATE 147704

IN RESPONSE TO REFTEL EMBASSY HAS DETERMINED THAT LEGAL
COUNSEL IS PRESENTLY PROVIDED FREE OF CHARGE IN TRINIDAD
AND TOBAGO ONLY TO PRISONERS, INCLUDING US NATIONALS,
CHARGED WITH MURDER. QUALITY OF SUCH COUNSEL IS
CONSIDERED TO BE COMPARABLE TO PRIVATE COUNSEL. EFFORTS
ARE REPORTEDLY NOW BEING MADE TO ESTABLISH A LEGAL AID
SOCIETY WHICH WILL PROVIDE FREE LEGAL ASSISTANCE TO
ALL PRISONERS WHO ARE UNABLE TO AFFORD PRIVATE COUNSEL.
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Message Attributes

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